

Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA

§ 993.515

**Subpart—Undersized Prune Regulation**

**§ 993.400 Modifications.**

Pursuant to the authority in § 993.52, the provisions in § 993.49(c) prescribing size openings for undersized prune regulations are hereby modified to permit larger size openings. For French prunes, any undersized regulation may prescribe an opening of  $\frac{23}{32}$  of an inch or  $\frac{24}{32}$  of an inch; for non-French prunes, any undersized regulation may prescribe an opening of  $\frac{28}{32}$  of an inch or  $\frac{30}{32}$  of an inch.

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EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 70 FR 30613, May 27, 2005, § 993.400 was suspended indefinitely.

**§ 993.409 Undersized prune regulation for the 2002–03 crop year.**

Pursuant to §§ 993.49(c) and 993.52, an undersized prune regulation for the 2002–03 crop year is hereby established. Undersized prunes are prunes which pass through openings as follows: for French prunes,  $\frac{24}{32}$  of an inch in diameter; for non-French prunes,  $\frac{30}{32}$  of an inch in diameter.

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**Subpart—Pack Specification as to Size**

SOURCE: 26 FR 8281, Sept. 2, 1961, unless otherwise noted.

DEFINITIONS

**§ 993.501 Consumer package of prunes.**

*Consumer package of prunes* means *consumer package* as defined in § 993.22.

EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 70 FR 30613, May 27, 2005, § 993.501 was suspended indefinitely.

**§ 993.502 Size count.**

*Size count* means the count or number of prunes per pound.

**§ 993.503 Size category.**

*Size category* means each of the size categories listed in § 993.515 and fixes the range or the limits of the various size counts.

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**§ 993.504 In-line inspection.**

*In-line inspection* means inspection of prunes where samples are drawn from a flow of prunes prior to packaging.

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**§ 993.505 Floor inspection.**

*Floor inspection* means inspection of prunes where samples are drawn from packaged prunes or from unpackaged prunes that are held in packing containers for later packaging.

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**§ 993.506 Lot.**

*Lot* for the purposes of this subpart shall have the same meaning as defined in § 993.104(b) of the Subpart—Administrative Rules and Regulations.

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SPECIFICATIONS AS TO SIZE

**§ 993.515 Size categories.**

For the purpose of this part, the pack specifications prescribed for the packing of prunes in consumer packages shall, subject to the limitation prescribed in § 993.516, be according to those commercially recognized size categories as are listed in paragraph (a) of this section by numerical designation or in paragraph (b) of this section by nomenclature designation.

(a) *Numerical designations.* Each of the following is a numerical size category described by the range of the size counts of prunes per pounds included in the respective size categories expressed as follows or in an applicable equivalent range expressed in the metric system per 500 grams: 15/20, 15/22, 18/24, 20/30, 25/35, 30/40, 35/45, 40/50, 50/60, 60/70, 70/80, 75/85, 80/90, and 90/100.

(b) *Nomenclature designations.* Each of the following is a nonnomenclature size category:

- (1) Extra large;
- (2) Large;
- (3) Medium; and
- (4) Small, breakfast, petite, or economy.